HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 6, 2024 Date

Committee on Business Affairs & Labor.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

<u>HB24-1321</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, lines 2 and 3, strike "**amend** (3); and **add** (4.3), (4.7)," and substitute "**add** (4.3),".
- 3 Page 2, strike lines 6 through 20.
- 4 Page 3, strike line 1.
- 5 Page 3, strike line 5 through 11.
- 6 Page 8, line 24, strike "CONDITION" and substitute "CONDITION, AS
 7 DEFINED BY RULE OF THE COMMISSIONER,".
- 8 Page 14, line 24, after "NAIC" insert "OR THIRD-PARTY CONSULTANT
 9 DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSIONER".
- Page 14, line 25, after "NAIC" insert "OR THIRD-PARTY CONSULTANT
 DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSIONER".
- 12 Page 16, strike lines 25 through 27.
- 13 Page 17, strike lines 1 through 13 and substitute:

14 "SECTION 5. In Colorado Revised Statutes, amend 10-3-705 as15 follows:

- 16 10-3-705. Rules. (1) The commissioner may adopt rules
 17 implementing this part 7.
- 18 (2) (a) The commissioner may adopt rules applicable to
- 19 REINSURANCE ARRANGEMENTS DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBSECTION (2)(a).

1 RULES ADOPTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (2) MUST APPLY ONLY TO 2 **REINSURANCE RELATING TO:** 3 (I) LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES WITH GUARANTEED NONLEVEL GROSS 4 PREMIUMS OR GUARANTEED NONLEVEL BENEFITS; 5 (II) UNIVERSAL LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES WITH PROVISIONS 6 RESULTING IN THE ABILITY OF A POLICYHOLDER TO KEEP A POLICY IN 7 FORCE OVER A SECONDARY GUARANTEE PERIOD; 8 (III) VARIABLE ANNUITIES WITH GUARANTEED DEATH OR LIVING 9 BENEFITS; 10 (IV) LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE POLICIES; OR 11 (V) OTHER LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE AND ANNUITY PRODUCTS 12 AS TO WHICH THE NAIC ADOPTS MODEL REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS 13 WITH RESPECT TO CREDIT FOR REINSURANCE. 14 (b) A RULE ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (2)(a)(I) OR 15 (2)(a)(II) OF THIS SECTION MUST APPLY TO ANY TREATY CONTAINING: 16 (I) POLICIES ISSUED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2015; OR 17 (II) POLICIES ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 2015, IF RISK 18 PERTAINING TO PRE-2015 POLICIES IS CEDED IN CONNECTION WITH THE 19 TREATY, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2015. 20 (c) A RULE ADOPTED PURSUANT THIS SUBSECTION (2) MAY 21 REQUIRE THE CEDING INSURER, IN CALCULATING THE AMOUNTS OR FORMS 22 OF SECURITY REQUIRED TO BE HELD UNDER RULES PROMULGATED UNDER 23 THIS SUBSECTION (2), TO USE THE VALUATION MANUAL ADOPTED BY THE 24 NAIC UNDER THE NAIC STANDARD VALUATION LAW, INCLUDING ALL 25 AMENDMENTS ADOPTED BY THE NAIC AND IN EFFECT ON THE DATE ON 26 WHICH THE CALCULATION IS MADE, TO THE EXTENT APPLICABLE. 27 (d) A RULE ADOPTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT 28 APPLY TO CESSIONS TO AN ASSUMING INSURER THAT: 29 (I) (A) MEETS THE CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN SECTION 10-3-702 30 (6.5);31 (B) IS CERTIFIED IN THIS STATE; OR 32 (C) MAINTAINS AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS 33 IN CAPITAL AND SURPLUS WHEN CALCULATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 34 MOST RECENT NAIC ACCOUNTING PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL, 35 AS AMENDED BY THE NAIC, EXCLUDING THE IMPACT OF ANY PERMITTED 36 OR PRESCRIBED PRACTICES; AND 37 (II) IS LICENSED: 38 (A) IN AT LEAST TWENTY-SIX STATES; OR 39 (B) IN AT LEAST TEN STATES AND LICENSED OR ACCREDITED IN A 40 TOTAL OF AT LEAST THIRTY-FIVE STATES. 41 (e) THE AUTHORITY TO ADOPT RULES PURSUANT TO THIS 42 SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT LIMIT THE COMMISSIONER'S GENERAL 43 AUTHORITY TO ADOPT RULES PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS 1 SECTION.

2 (f) As used in this subsection (2), "NAIC" means the
3 National Association of Insurance Commissioners.".

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